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1. The following is a quotation of the appropriate paragraphs of 35 U.S.C. 102 that form the basis for the rejections under this section made in this Office action:

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A person shall be entitled to a patent unless -

(b) the invention was patented or described in a printed publication in this or a foreign country or in public use or on sale in this country, more than one year prior to the date of application for patent in the United States.

2. Claims 1-39 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Brett (US PAT. NO. 6,026,179).

Brett discloses a system and method for constructing at least one intermediate frame comprising identifying a plurality of points having related characteristics (e.g. col. 2 lines 3-15, object selected by user, the characteristics being color, attributes, etc.), determining if the points have changed position (e.g. motion or relative transformation), associating the points with at least a first pixel in the first and second frame, determining a relationship between a position of the first pixel and a position of the second pixel.

See col. 2 lines 16-35, 49-60, col. 16 lines 9-33 for example.

3. Claims 1-39 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 102(b) as being anticipated by Ries et al (US PAT. NO. 4,710,809 hereinafter Ries).

Ries discloses a system and method for constructing at least one intermediate frame comprising identifying a plurality of points having related characteristics, determining if the points have changed position (e.g. picture element positions), associating the points with at least a first pixel in the first and second frame, determining

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a relationship between a position of the first pixel and a position of the second pixel.

See col. 2 line 54 to col. 5 line 36 for example.

4. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the

examiner should be directed to Wing F. Chan whose telephone number is 571-272-

7493. The examiner can normally be reached on Monday to Friday from 9 AM to 6 PM.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's

supervisor, Curtis Kuntz can be reached on 571-272-7499. The fax phone number for

the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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Business Center (EBC) at 866-217-9197 (toll-free).

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